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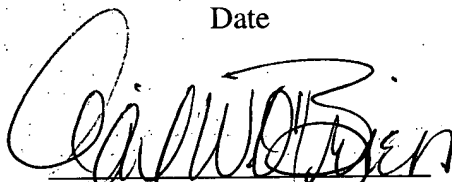
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**RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Sir:

Enclosed is an Amendment/Response to the Official Action mailed May 6, 2003 in connection with the above-identified patent application.

- ☒ [X] A petition for a three-month Extension of Time in the amount of \$950.00; the amount being included in the check in the amount of \$1,148.00 are enclosed.
- ☒ [X] An Information Disclosure Statement and fee in the amount of \$180.00 are also enclosed in the check in the amount of \$1,148.00.
- ☐ [ ] A Notice of Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and appropriate fee of is included in the enclosed check of \$.
- ☐ [ ] No additional claim fee is required.
- ☒ [X] An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as follows:

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CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	42	Minus 41 =	1	x \$18.00 =	18.00
Independent Claims	9	Minus 9 =		x \$84.00 =	0
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$260.00					0
Total Amendment Fee					0
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					0
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$ 18.00</b>

- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ Deposit Account No. 08-3436 for the fee due.
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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Date: November 6, 2003

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